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## Railway West of Didsbury.

C.P.R. Engineers will Confer with Local Organization.

The movement set afoot in the country west of Didsbury for a railway to serve the needs of that district is bearing fruit. The prospects now are distinctly encouraging and C.P.R. enquiries serve to make the outlook optimistic. The executive of the organization formed some time ago to go into the matter has been extremely active, and the encouragement given as well the willingness shown by the C.P.R. to co-operate has made the residents of the district very hopeful.

Wm. H. Davies as president of this organization and Nelson Smith of Olds as secretary, along with a number of active co-workers, have availed themselves of every opportunity to interest the railway company in their project, and the fact that negotiations, even although only in their infancy, are taking place is sufficient to encourage the hope that something definite in time will result.

That there is ground for this belief may be accepted from the fact that word was received this week by Mr. Davies that C.P.R. engineers were desirous of arranging an interview with the local organization to go into the matter.

If the discussion results in a definite plan and steps are taken to serve the country interested with transportation it should give enormous impetus to the settlement of this portion of Alberta.

## ABNORMAL AND DIS-COLORED SEED WHEAT

Only Best Selected Seed Will Produce the Best Grain—Loss Results from Sowing Poor Seed

If seed wheat contains abnormal or discolored kernels a first-class crop cannot be grown to maturity even under ideal climatic conditions. Weather conditions, such as prevailed in the prairie provinces of Canada during the harvest time of 1927, tended to bring about these abnormalities and discolorations in grain to a more marked extent than usual.

Shrivelled, shrunken and pimpled or blistered wheat should be avoided. Shrivelled or shrunken kernels may be the result of badly rusted wheat or may be indicative of the presence of a fungus within the seed, while frozen wheat has a pimpled or blistered seed coat. A mummified kernel which is white to gray in color is typical of the presence of a very serious and destructive fungus disease.

Discoloration, such as green, pink and black, are also very common. Green kernels denote lack of maturity, while the cause of the distinct pinkish discoloration so often found is not definitely known. Blackened kernels are typical of the presence of a number of different wheat parasites. If the tip of the germ end is pinky black in color bacteria are very frequently the cause. If blackening is evident at different places on the oat, fungi, which causes root disease of cereals, are often present.

During the last two years experiments have been conducted at this laboratory to study the importance of such abnormalities and discolorations as are mentioned above, and our results signify that it is a very serious practice to sow wheat of this kind. In all cases germination is reduced and the plants which survive are often weak and sickly in appearance. By sowing such wheat the farmer in many cases may introduce disease-producing fungi into his land.

Wise and careful selection of seed wheat is of the utmost importance. Ordinary seed cleaning methods such as are used by the average farmer will suffice to remove badly shrunken and very light kernels, but many remain, and if these comprise even a small proportion of the seed lot it should be avoided. Doubtful samples of seed grain may be sent to any of the Dominion experimental farms for examination.

## Annual Meeting of Mountain View M.D.

The financial condition of the above municipality was again a source of congratulation to the rate payers assembled in the Agricultural School, Olds, on Saturday last, when under the chairmanship of the Reeve, W. E. Flinn, some seventy-five residents of the district attended, and took an interesting part in the proceeding.

The financial statement showed a surplus of assets over liabilities of \$48,055.56 and generally speaking the condition of the municipality is excellent.

The collection of taxes, too, shows a very favorable comparison with previous years.

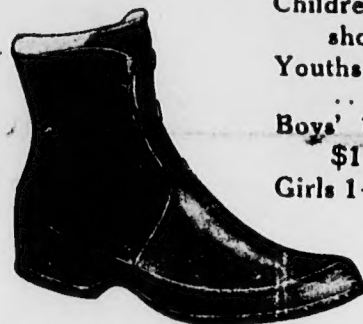
The statement was adopted. Quite a number of subjects were introduced at the meeting and some of them provoked considerable discussion. The matter of supplying culverts to farmers' residences aroused a lively interest, but after being fully considered the scheme was deemed impractical at the present time.

The present winter with its big snowfall has brought along one or two problems also, and the meeting discussed the advisability of widening sleigh runners to conform with the wagon track, and may eventually result therefrom.

## Election of Councillors Saturday 25th.

In connection with the elections in Mountain View this year but one vacancy has to be filled. This was caused through the retirement Continued on page 8.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS  
BRIEFLY TOLD

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Repairs destined to prop up the famous Leaning Tower of Pisa will be undertaken shortly under the supervision of the Ministry of Education and Fine Arts.

Commander C. T. Beard, R.C.N., will command the Champlain, and Lieut.-Commander R. I. Agnew, R.C.N., the Vancouver, the two new Canadian cruisers.

The population of British Columbia in 1926 was estimated at 563,000, according to the annual report of vital statistics for that year, tabled in the Legislature.

The Moscow municipal council and other authorities are considering the launching of a "bicycle loan." The proceeds would provide large masses of Soviet citizens with reasonably priced home made bicycles.

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Counter-Parasites Are Being Imported Into Orchard Regions

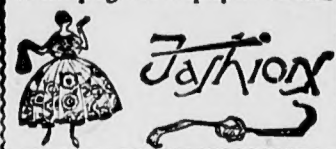
Bug will fight bug this season to protect the Okanagan fruit crop from destruction. Counter-parasites are being imported into the orchard regions in a campaign to decimate the codling moth and earwig.

The counter-parasites, according to E. R. Buckle, provincial entomologist at Vernon, will be obtained from Wenatchee, Wash., the United States government having offered to co-operate fully with the British Columbia authorities. Parasites inimical to the codling moth and earwig have done effective work in the past, although they have to be handled with a great deal more care because of the danger of introducing secondary pests with them.

Unless the codling moth is suppressed, growers fear that it may bring about destruction as extensive as in the state of Washington, where losses due to the activity of this pest were \$5,000,000 in 1926. Eight hundred carloads of apples were classified as culls in the Yakima district for same reason.

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"It is no use experimenting upon a disease unless we first of all know something of its natural history; and yet the general consensus of opinion amongst surgeons, which they have no hesitation in circulating, is that the cause of cancer is not known. Yet they continue to treat it by methods that apply only to a local outcrop, which, much to my regret, I was guilty of doing for a number of years before my eyes were opened to the folly of it."

"The fact remains that operative treatment for cancer has been practised from time immemorial and from my knowledge of the disease I affirm that the knife has never cured cancer in a single instance; but, on the contrary, has only succeeded in aggravating the disease and adding to the sufferings of the poor patient; and also shortening his or her life, which latter, perhaps, might be looked upon as a godsend in the circumstances."

"Now cancer is a blood disease—and there is no gainsaying this—the local manifestation being merely an outcrop of the malady, the cause being prolonged toxic condition of the blood."

Love of humanity and truth impelled the internationally celebrated British cancer surgeon Dr. Robert Bell, M.D., F.R.C.P.S., &c., to abandon his lucrative surgical practice and, with convincing proofs of his above quoted statements this eminent authority successfully opposed and refuted the modern orthodox methods of treating the deadliest known disease.

Before passing at an advanced age in 1926, wishing to ameliorate the condition of cancer sufferers in Canada and the United States, Dr. Robert Bell kindly authorized the writer to use his printed works and personal letters in humanity's service and a book of valuable information concerning prevention and treatment of cancer without surgical operation, radium or X-ray tortures or expense can be obtained, without charge, on application to Charles Walter, 51 Brunswick Avenue, Toronto, 4, Ontario, Canada.

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## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FEBRUARY 26

OTHER MIGHTY WORKS OF  
JESUS

Golden Text: "Thy faith had made thee whole."—Mark 5.34.

Lesson: Mark 5.22-43.

Devotional Reading: Ephesians 3.14-21.

## Explanations and Comments

I. The Triumph Of Love Over Pride, verses 22, 23.—When Jesus reached the western shore of the lake, after the events of our last lesson, Jairus, a ruler of the synagogue (perhaps of the one which had been built by the centurion of Luke 7.5) came to him and fell at his feet in supplication. "My little daughter (an only child, Luke 8.42), is at the point of death; I pray Thee, that Thou come and lay Thy hands on her, that she may be made whole, and live." The ruler was a proud Pharisee, and we have seen how bitterly hostile to Jesus the majority of the Pharisees had become by this time. No thought of what others said about Jesus deterred Jairus from seeking Him, and no thought of his own station held him back from throwing himself in an attitude of worship at the feet of the Rabbi. There was no act of homage he would not render if only his beloved child might be restored to him.

II. The Triumph Of Faith, verses 24-34.—Jesus assented to the ruler's urgent request, and was on His way with him to his home, followed by a great crowd of people, when an interruption came. There was a woman in the throng who had been ill for twelve years and had spent all her money on physicians, under whose treatment she had suffered much, but had grown worse rather than better. This recalls the ancient Jewish saying that "Even the best of doctors deserves Gehenna." This woman pushed herself forward and touched the garment of Jesus in the belief that the touch would cure her.

"If I touch but his garments, I shall be made whole," the woman said to herself. "Daughter, thy faith hath made thee whole; go in peace, and be whole of thy plague," were the comforting words the woman heard.

While Jesus was speaking with the woman, there came a messenger from the ruler's house who said to the ruler, "Thy daughter is dead; why troublest thou the Teacher any further?" "Fear not, only believe," were the comforting words which Jesus addressed to the stricken father. Jesus then continued his way to the house of Jairus, but permitted no one to come with him save Peter, James and John, the three disciples who especially shared his confidence. On reaching the ruler's house they heard the tumult which was usual at such a time, the weeping and wailing of hired mourners. "Why make ye a tumult and weep?" Jesus said to them: "The child is not dead, but sleepeth." By these words Jesus did not deny that physical life had departed. The people in the house took the words of Jesus literally, and by their scornful laughter said that they knew she was really dead. Jesus put them all out of the room, allowing only his three disciples and the father and mother to remain. Then he took the child by the hand and said in Aramaic, Talitha, cumi, that is, "Damsel, I say unto thee, Arise." At once the twelve-year-old maiden arose and walked.

## CREAM OF TOMATO SOUP

2 1/2 cups canned or fresh cooked tomatoes.

1/2 small onion, sliced.

1 stalk celery, minced.

1 tablespoon minced parsley.

1/2 bay leaf.

2 whole cloves.

1 teaspoon salt.

1/2 teaspoon pepper.

1 teaspoon sugar.

1/2 teaspoon soda.

2 tablespoons butter.

2 tablespoons flour.

1 1/2 cups Borden's St. Charles Milk.

1 1/2 cups water.

Add seasoning to tomatoes and simmer fifteen minutes, strain.

Melt butter in saucepan, stir in flour. Dilute milk with water, pour slowly into butter and flour, stirring until it thickens. Continue to cook five minutes. Just before serving, add soda to tomatoes, gradually add tomatoes to white sauce, stirring constantly, serve immediately.

All or any of the vegetable seasonings may be omitted, but their addition gives a smooth, well-blended flavor to the soup.

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There is the irony that he who next only to Lenin, was the main creator of the Soviet regime, is now crushed and rejected by it.

There is the irony that he follows the way of the helpless Czar whom he sent to his death at Ekaterinburg.

There is the irony that, in facing Siberian exile, he faces the cruel punishment of the old autocratic government which every Russian liberal for a century has vowed to end.

And there is the final irony that the world at large will take from the exile of Trotsky all sorts of valuable lessons of the exact kind which neither he nor the Soviet tyrants will want it to take. — New York Post.

given for discontinuing the visits.

"Now, boys, said the barber, 'that's what might be called tact. He didn't tell us we had worn out our welcome—just intimated it. I kinda wish he had waited until we had finished that pie! Wild strawberry pie! I never thought anything could turn me from wild strawberry pie. That fellow is not such a fool, after all.'"

"Well, I am going," said the Englishman to Jim Simpson; "I am going today. My only regret is that I did not know sooner. Will you buy my horses—the whole outfit as it stands?"

"What did you do with your fine house and all that furniture?" asked Mr. Simpson, cautiously.

"Left it—left it—locked the door and came out. Gave one dog away—shot the others. I couldn't shoot old Cleo, I tried but I couldn't."

"Good Lord, man, you're crazy! Them were dandy dogs? What in thunder did you want to shoot them for—I thought you were a real dog man."

"No one will ever abuse my dogs. I wanted to be sure, that's why. I gave the Ransom's a horse, and they promised to care for Cleo as long as she lives. What will you give me for the horses? Be quick now!" He had no time to argue—he was going on the train that day.

"One hundred dollars for the whole thing," said one of the men.

"Very well," said the Englishman. "I'll take it. Be good to them."

He went to the boarding house for dinner, where he was the centre of curious eyes, for the story of his wild intention was known. When he had eaten a hasty meal he stood up suddenly and broke into speech.

"Boys, you are wrong," he began, in going on mining coal and thinking you do not need to hear the call your country has sent out. The British Empire is threatened, her enemies are at the gates. Belgium, a little country, has been violated. While you sit here, villages are burning, women are screaming—and the Germans are marching triumphantly on. Have you no pride, no manhood? . . . I know the Germans . . . they have been getting ready for years. Lord Roberts told the Empire to get ready—it was coming—but they went on like you—'business as usual'!"

He paused here, overcome with emotion. One or two of the men laughed, the others regarded him stolidly. Crazy Englishman! Crazier than ever!

"Well, say, looka here," began Bill Larsen, "what are you gettin' so hot up over, I'd like to know." Bill, although the proprietor of the "Grande Pacific," a hostel licensed to sell malt and spirituous liquor, and presumably a place of refreshment for man and beast, made no pretence of supplying meals even for himself, but took the monthly rate from Mrs. McMann. "What's blin' you?" Go yourself if you want to—whose holdin' you back?—but what's the call for abusin' us because we don't want to stand up and stop bullets. My old granddad fought in the American war, and he got his fill of it, I'll say!—lost an eye and a leg, and got four dollars a month of a pension from his grateful country! It don't look like a safe proposition. How do you know who's right? Your British Empire wasn't so darned right when she had the little run-in with the United States. How do you know she's right this time?"

(To Be Continued.)

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### CHAPTER XIX.—Continued.

His house of branches was replaced by a little log shanty, with a home-made fireplace built of stones from the river, and into it he moved before winter. In the spring he returned to civilization with his season's catch of furs. After that his victory was assured, and if he had been more sociable and friendly he would have received the admiration of the settlement at Bannerman. As it was he did his trading almost silently, volunteering no explanation of his strange ways; and no man can gain the confidence of his fellow men unless he is willing to explain himself.

The year before the war, the Englishman had built a shingled bungalow, with glassed-in verandah, and hardwood floors. He had built-in cupboards and furnished it in such a manner that many a man living in the settlement was subject to drastic questioning by the wife of his bosom, who drew pointed comparisons between the house she was forced to live in and this one. Why was it that a crazy Englishman who lived alone but for his dogs, could afford such luxuries as these, while whole families were still living in congested quarters? Matters grew still more unpleasant when it was rumored that he was going to pipe the water from a lake in the mountains to his house.

The only explanation the harassed husbands could think of, and it did not entirely satisfy, was that the man must be receiving money from home. No man could do all this on his fur catches.

It was Bill Larsen, the Swede, who conceived the idea of visiting this new house, and to this end organized

a fishing party one Sunday morning in the spring of the year. English River abounded in mountain trout, and it was easy to get a party together to go out. They could ask permission to boil a kettle and in that way get in to see the house.

The party came back late that night registering complete success. He had not only asked them to come in, but had cooked a meal for them—roast chicken, canned figs for dessert, white cloth and everything.

"Did he ask you all to come again when you couldn't stay so long, or anything like that?" asked Jim Simpson, incredulously. Jim had opposed the fishing party.

"He doesn't need to ask us back when he fed us that well. We'll go all right—eh, boys?" replied Bill; "vittles like that speak for themselves—we're goin' next Sunday again. Gosh, Jim, you better come—he's tickled to see us, I believe. He's not quite all there—anyone can see that, he's so polite and ladylike—and we might as well punch a meal ticket on him as not."

The parties continued for several weeks, growing in number, and never did the hospitality fail. Fried lake trout, home-made bread and butter, eggs, and wild fruit were plentifully supplied and eagerly consumed.

"Geel that fellow is easy," Bill Larsen was often heard to say; "he seems pleased to do it, and never seems to mind that none of us offers to help him clean up or anything. Well, some people like work, and I'm not the one to try to deny their fun. He don't even know when we're laughing at him!"

The next Sunday their host was as generous as ever, but when the meal was half over, apologized for his haste in clearing the table. Usually he waited until his guests were gone but today he was going out and if they would be so kind as to excuse him he would proceed to wash up while they were eating their dessert, which on this day was wild strawberry pie. The visitors winked at each other behind his back. Think of any human being asking leave to wash his own dishes! "Oh, sure they would excuse him providing he didn't rattle the dishes too much and disturb the speakers." This was from the barber, who was the humorist of the party.

Even at that their host politely replied that he would be most careful. He then gathered up the plates and laid them in a row on the sun porch, his visitors watching him with interest. They were in radiant mood. This fellow grew funnier all the time. What funny work was he up to now?

The Englishman opened the verandah door and called. Four collie dogs came bounding in. He motioned to them to begin operations on the plates, which they did with eagerness. When they had made a thorough job of cleaning them he gathered up the plates deliberately and arranged them in one of his many cupboards.

"They save me a lot of work," he said, more to himself than to his guests, on whom a silence had fallen; "and they polish the plates very well indeed, and the pots and pans as well."

There was an understanding on the way home that no reason would be

## OPERATION LEFT HER VERY WEAK

Letter Tells of Wonderful Relief After Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Coniston, Ontario.—"After a severe operation and a three weeks' stay in a hospital I returned home so weak that I was unable to move a chair. For four months I was almost frantic with pains and sufferings until I thought sure there could not be any help for me. I had very severe pains in my left side and suffered agony every month. One day when I was not able to get up my mother begged me to try your medicine. My husband got me a bottle of Vegetable Compound at once and I took it. I started a second bottle, and to my surprise and joy the pains in my side left me completely and I am able to do all my work without help. I am a farmer's wife, so you see I can't be idle long. In all, I have taken six bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, five boxes of the Compound Tablets, two bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Blood Medicine, and have also used the Sensitive Wash."—Mrs. L. LAJEUNESSE, Box 103, Coniston, Ontario.



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### Goodwill Tours To Europe

**Members Of Parties Will Take Own Cars and Motor Through Europe**

A friendlier feeling between Canadian, American and European motorists which, in turn, will be transmitted to a much wider circle of people on the two continents will, it is hoped, be engendered as a result of two personally conducted "goodwill" tours to Europe this summer organized by the White Star Line under the official auspices of the Montreal Motorists' League. It is stated in an official announcement by the White Star Line.

A novel feature of the tours will be that those going to Europe with these parties will take their own cars and motor through Europe and Great Britain.

Wherever they go receptions will be arranged in the principal cities and it is anticipated that the Touring Club of France, and the Automobile Association of Great Britain, with which the Montreal Motorists' League is affiliated, will tender official receptions to the parties and, in this way play their part in promoting goodwill between Europe and the North American continent.

Already there have been inquiries from Winnipeg, Vancouver, Toronto, several cities in the province of Quebec, Ontario and Manitoba, and with the announcement of these tours in the United States it is expected that there will be a regular string of requests from American motorists.

One of the principal ideas underlying these parties is to persuade Canadian and American motorists, who already have much in common, to travel across the ocean together and, by personal contact with motorists in Great Britain and in Europe, build up a firmer feeling of friendship between the people on the two continents.

The first party, with their own cars, will sail from Montreal on the White Star liner "Megantic," on July 26, and return from Liverpool on the White Star liner "Calgarie," on August 31.

The second group will sail from Montreal on the White Star liner "Albion" on September 6, and return from Southampton on the same steamer on October 20.

Both these parties will follow practically the same itinerary, landing at Havre and motoring thence to Rouen, through the Canadian battlefields by way of Neuve Chappelle, Amiens, Doullens, Arras, Vimy Ridge, the Somme, Lille, Tournay, Mons, Cambrai, St. Quentin, Compiègne to Paris where several days will be spent, then by way of Chateau Thierry to Rheims, Verdun, Luxembourg and Treves, Cologne, Aix la Chappelle,

Brussels, Antwerp, Amsterdam, The Hague, Rotterdam, and then by steamer to Harwich from where the party will make a circular tour of England and Scotland.

### Little Helps For This Week

"Forgive, if ye have ought against any, that your Father also which is in heaven may forgive you.—Mark xi. 25.

Gently I took that which ungently came. And without scorn forgave; do thou the same. A wrong done to thee think a cat's-eye spark. Thou would'st not see were not thine own heart dark.

—Samuel Taylor Coleridge.  
Does any man wound thee? Not only forgive, but work into thy thought intelligence of the kind of pain that thou may'st never inflict it on another spirit.—Margaret Fuller.

Life appears to me too short to be spent in nursing animosity or registering wrong.—Charlotte Bronte.

Children suffering from worms soon show the symptoms, and any mother can detect the presence of these parasites by the writhings and fretting of the child. Until expelled and the system cleared of them, the child cannot regain its health. Miller's Worm Powders are prompt and efficient, not only for the eradication of worms, but also as a toner up for children that are run down in consequence.

A Texas chemist has declared the material value of the average human being to be 98 cents.

### The "Flu"

**LEFT HER WITH A VERY WEAK HEART**

Mrs. Beulah Demone, Pleasant River, N.S., writes:—"Having suffered with the 'flu' a few years ago, I was left with a very weak heart.

"I was unable to go about, and could not do my housework.

"I would get dizzy spells and would have to go and lie down.

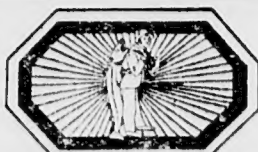
"I could not sleep at night as the least little noise would wake me up.

"I tried different kinds of medicine, but they seemed to do me no good.

"A friend recommended

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I have used five boxes and am much better; do not get those dizzy spells, and can do my own work as well as ever."

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DIDSBURY - ALTA

#### LOCAL & GENERAL

K. R. McLean, R.O., Sight Special-  
ist, 212 Herald Bldg., Calgary, will  
make his monthly visit to Didsbury  
on Saturday, March 10th. Office  
adjoining Dr. Evans.  
Phone 113, evenings, for appoint-  
ments.

A leap year dance will be held  
in the Opera House, on Tuesday,  
February 28th. Clemens-Bellamy  
orchestra in attendance. Every-  
body welcome.

A concert will be given by the  
J.G.I.T. in the Opera House on  
Friday, March 2nd. Admission  
5c and 15c.

A Didsbury rink composed of  
Leo Julien, Jack Johnson, Tom-  
my Johnson, and E. Shantz, is  
participating in the Red Deer  
bonspiel this week.

Sid Watt returned from the Han-  
na Bonspiel last week, bearing the  
first prize in the shape of a splen-  
didly finished automobile trunk—  
the choicest prize of the merchants  
competition.

The auction sale held on Tues-  
day at G. H. Lantz's is reported to  
have been very successful. Cows  
especially, sold remarkably well,  
bidding was brisk and prices ranged  
from \$60 to \$75.

Adshend's Garage received another  
carload of Chevrolet coaches and  
sedans this week. These new cars  
are described at the factory as be-  
ing "bigger and better" than ever.

The Edmonton bonspiel held last  
week was attended by J. R. Miller,  
who participated as one of a Delia  
rink comprising W. Sinclair and  
D. H. Campbell of Delia, and S.  
A. Miller of Oyen. This rink took  
third prize in the visitors' compe-  
tition. At the time of his leaving  
the northern city, J. R. stood also  
second highest in individual curling.  
Altogether, there were 102  
rinks present at the 'spiel.

"Footloose Widows" is a unique  
title and the picture is as unique as  
its title. At the Opera House, Sat-  
urday, February 25th.

Mrs. E. C. Webster returned on  
Sunday last from an extended visit  
with her mother in Michigan.  
During the whole time she was  
away the weather was delightful,  
and the weather was the finest she  
had ever experienced.

Mr. J. E. Huget will be at J. V.  
Berscht's store on Friday and Sat-  
urday of this week with a large dis-  
play of New Spring Dresses, Coats,  
and Sport Suits. Come in and see  
the latest styles.

Don't forget the display of  
Spring Dresses at J. V. Berscht's  
store on Friday and Saturday.

A parlor meeting was held at  
the home of Mr. Reiber. Four  
new members were received. A  
lunch by the Misses Liesemer, a  
meal solo by Mrs. Boorman, and  
a very interesting paper given by  
Mrs. James Clarke comprised the  
program for the afternoon. Mrs.  
Clarke's topic was "The Life and  
Work of Francis Willard." About  
thirty five members were present,  
which, considering the state of the  
weather, was very good.

Gavin Spence, who has given  
Didsbury the highest grade tuning  
for eighteen consecutive years, will  
be here during the week commen-  
cing March 11th. Leave orders at  
Pioneer office.

"Moulders of Men" is briefly de-  
scribed as a great picture. Opera  
House, Wednesday, February 29th.

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### Specials For Wednesday, Feb. 29th

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#### 25c Specials

GIRLS' BOX PURSES  
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Women's Toe Rubbers. Broken  
sizes, pointed style, a pair for  
25c

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Hardwood Pencil Boxes.  
3 for 25c

Big Fellow Ruled Scribblers  
6 for 25c

"Lady Jane" Shingle Hair Pins  
3 cards for 25c

C-No-Pin Steel Barrettes. 6 on  
a card and selling, while they  
last at 3 cards for  
25c

Men's socks in heavy grey or  
black and sand cotton. Per pair  
25c

Men's Garters, a pair for  
25c

#### \$1 Specials

6 yds. of Canadian Gingham, 32  
inch. A real bargain at  
6 yds. a \$1

8 1-2 yds. 32-inch English ging-  
ham, for a \$1

3 1-4 yds. Potter's Famous Eng-  
lish Print for only a \$1

6 yards of striped flannelette for  
\$1

4 yds. of good Canadian ging-  
ham for a \$1

Ladies' fine knit cotton vests, 3  
for a \$1

Girls cotton bloomers, 3 pair for  
only a \$1

Pure Wool flannel Middies, Bal-  
kan style. Going now at  
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54-inch pure wool blanket cloth  
in 7 different shades. Per yd. a  
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Women's white voile waists in a  
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Women's Cotton hose. 4 pair a  
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Boys' and Girls ribbed cotton  
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bers. Size 1. Can you beat it  
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### THE TIP-TOP TAILORS

The Tip-Top Tailors' Specialty man will be at Ranton's Ltd.,  
on Thursday, March 1st. Come in and let him take your  
measure for your Easter suit.

CANADA'S LARGEST ONE-PRICE TAILORS

A Few Women's Needlepoint Coats in the latest styles. Reg. values to  
\$40.00 are going on Wednesday, Feb. 29th at YOUR CHOICE FOR \$20

Meet Me At Ranton's  
THE STORE WITH A CONSCIENCE

One of the most enjoyable events  
of the present season was the dance  
given in the Opera House on Tues-  
day night by the Didsbury U.F.A.  
It was characterized especially by  
the friendly feeling prevailing no  
less than by the efforts of the com-  
mittee to please and ensure every-  
one a good time. It was thorough-  
ly enjoyed by everyone.

Mr. Bruno Jacobs has purchased  
a new Pontiac from Teskey's.

BORN—To Mrs. J. H. P. Cummins,  
of Ringclare Cottage, Ireland, on  
January 9th, a son.

According to a report covering  
the activities of the past year of  
the Canada Colonization Associa-  
tion, a subsidiary of the Canadian  
Pacific Railway, 626 families, con-  
sisting of 3,443 persons, were set-  
tled on 162,982 acres of land by the  
association. The value of these  
transactions is in excess of \$6,000,-  
000. Nearly 300,000 acres of land  
are ready for settlement and pros-  
pects for the current year are very  
bright.

Trinlets, two boys and a girl, were  
recently born to Mrs. E. C. Coburn,  
of London, on her birthday.

Vancouver.—In an address be-  
fore the Board of Trade upon the  
services rendered the Dominion by  
the late Sir William Van Horne,  
founder of the city of Vancouver  
and president of the Canadian Pa-  
cific Railway, C. A. Cotterell, gen-  
eral superintendent of the railway's  
British Columbia district, said: "The  
Canadian Pacific Railway is the  
largest taxpayer and the largest  
purchaser in the province; it spent  
last year \$20,750,000 in stores and  
supplies, taxes, wages, etc."

#### Thin, Nervous Girl Gains With Vinol

"I was nervous, run-down, and my  
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gained 5 pounds and feel 100 per cent  
better."—Marie Remmel. You begin  
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Vinol has helped weak, nervous wo-  
men, over-tired men and frail chil-  
dren. (H. W. Chambers, Druggist.)

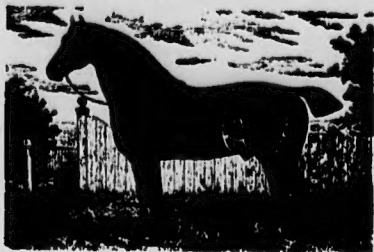
### CLEAN-UP SALE

4 lb. tin mixed jam.....45c  
" " of pure plum jam.....50c  
" " Strawberry Jam.....70c  
5 lb. Evaporated Apples.....  
" Prunes, for.....  
Seedless Raisins, 4 lbs. for.....  
Bulk Raisins, per lb.....  
Gold Dust, Princess Soap Flakes, Soapade, per pkt....  
Washing Soap, 4 cakes for 25c.....  
75c Coffee selling at a lb.....  
Oo Coffee, Selling at.....35c  
Paulins Fancy Biscuits, assorted per lb.....35c

C. Y. SOON



## Auction Sale.



## Auction Sale.

Under instructions from the owner, Mr. C. A. Foster, I will sell the following Cattle, Milk Cows, Horses, Farm Machinery and other goods and chattels, etc., on the S.W. 31-1-5, known as the "Old Sam Miller Place," situated 2 miles north of Didsbury, on

FEBRUARY 28th, 1928

**CATTLE**—11 head—6 Milk Cows to freshen soon, Holsteins and Shorthorns; 1 heifer, Ayrshire, 1½ years old, in calf; 3-year-old steers.

**HORSES**—8 Head—1 9-year-old team of Bay Geldings, 2600 lbs.; 1 Bay Team, Mare and Gelding, 8 and 10 years, 2200 lbs.; 1 grey Mare, 10 years, 1150 lbs.; 1 Saddle Pony, gentled for children; 1 1½-year-old Filly, from Clark's Prov. Horse; 1 7-months' old colt, from heavy stock.

**MACHINERY**—1 John Deere Sulky Plow, 14-inch, with stubble and breaker bottom; 1 Packer, 12-ft.; 1 Wagon and box, two bundle racks; 1 Cream Separator, Sanitary King; 1 1½-h.p. Pumping Engine and Fairbanks-Morse Pumping Jack; 1 14-in. Democrat.

Five Berkshire Sows, heavy in pig; 10 100 to 130 lb. shoats; 1 1½-ton Pig Feeder; 1 Pig Loader, 4 Pig Troughs; 1 14-ton Chop Box, with lid; some Plow Harness; Child's Saddle; Tank Heater and Pipes; 1 Daventry, can make into bed; 1 Heater, 18-inch fire box; some Linoleum; 1 cupboard; 1 Chatham Incubator; Rocking Chair; 1 18-inch Cockshutt Breaker.

**TIME**—Sale starts at 11 a.m., with lunch at noon.

**TERMS**—All sums at and under \$40 net cash, over that amount 7 months' credit will be given on approved joint bankable notes bearing 8 per cent. interest, 4 per cent. off for cash on all amounts over \$40.

J. W. Phillipson, Auctioneer.

## 25 Years Ago

Twenty-five years ago the first issue of the "Pioneer" was published by G. E. Grow.

Fred Pryce and Billy Larson ran a foot race at Carstairs for a \$25 purse. Pryce won out by a neck.

Mr. Kennedy, of Ottawa, opened a drug store.

The Union Bank opened a branch at Didsbury.

American silver in Edmonton and Strathcona was subjected to a discount of 20 per cent. It is said that the churches received an over-supply on their collection plates.

## 20 Years Ago

Miss Edith Jackson gave a party in honor of Miss Olive Hill.

Miss Grace Chamberlain won the first prize in the peanut hunt and Dick Collison the booby prize.

L. E. Reed, of Innisfail, was a new barber at the Alexandra.

Billy Cunningham made a \$1500 sale of cattle to Bob Topping.

At the masquerade ball held this week, Miss Anderson, representing "Folly," took first prize; J. C. Riner, as Indian Chief, first prize; E. Dallow and E. N. Young, as "Little Reggie and Sister Sis," a special prize for comic getup. Mr. and Mrs. C. Moore, Carstairs, Mrs. A. Cooper, and Mr. F. N. Ballard were the judges. Messrs. D. McIlhargey and R. McGinn acted as organizing committee.

## 15 Years Ago

Mayor H. B. Atkins was a visitor at the Alberta Fairs Association in Edmonton.

Mrs. Ed. Cressman was visiting her brother, Mr. James Gateman.

The new motor pump was installed at the power house. It had a capacity of 1500 gallons per hour and Supt.

## "MAKE THE GARDEN PAY"

is the title of a new 80-page booklet which the Bank of Montreal has issued and is now distributing free to all who ask for a copy.



This booklet is one of a series distributed by the Bank for the benefit of the farming interests of Canada. It contains practical, scientific and experience-tested advice and suggestions on how to make a vegetable garden pay. It is dedicated to the idea of "An acre garden on every farm in Canada."

A free copy of this valuable booklet is waiting for you at our nearest Branch. Ask for it by mail, telephone, or in person.

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Mr. H. S. Patterson was elected president and H. W. Chambers secretary-treasurer in the Liberal-Conservative Association.

The following officers were elected to the executive of the Citizens' band: Mayor H. B. Atkins, president; H. E. Osmond, 1st vice-president; T. W. Cuncannon, W. Wigglesworth, H. W. Chambers, J. A. Findlay, B. A. St. Clair, W. G. Liesemer, J. R. Good, G. B. Sexsmith, vice-presidents; G. H. Liesemer, E. Weber, Ed. Fisher, A.

Gertz, band members on the executive.

## 10 Years Ago

N. T. Purcell made a deal for his confectionery and fruit business with Mr. Sayers of Vancouver.

A. Brusso, J. B. Berscht, A. G. Stude, Jim Reed and Geo. Alden represented Didsbury at the Olds bonspiel.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Gobel.

R. T. Piles took over D. Jones' cattle and hay buying business.

## Picture Framing and Repairing

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Many Pairs of skates and skating shoes will be sold at greatly reduced prices

Kitchen Range, \$18; Oak Extension table, \$9; washing machine in good shape, \$10; 4 dining room chairs each, \$1.50; a good selection of player piano rolls, at 50c each.

W.H. Chamberlin

## Miscellaneous.

### Wanted

Fresh milch cows. Springers. Kendrick & Good. Phone 37.

### For Sale

Garnet Seed wheat for sale. Gov. test, 98 per cent in six days. W. C. Ahlgrim, phone 506. 3-2

### For Sale

Two sows, about 200 lbs, bred to Reg. York boar, to farrow in March. Price \$20.00 each. Phone R 106. Ernest Y. Wood. 2-23

### For Sale

Late 1925 Chevrolet coach, four tires like new, good mechanical shape. Price reasonable. W. Reist. Phone 162, Didsbury 3-2

### For Sale

Registered Holstein bull, rising 3 years. Price reasonable. Theo. Reist, phone 603. 3-9

### Lost

Brown mare with black marking, in Bergen. Branded TJ on right hip. Mrs. K. Olsen 3-1

### Lumber for Sale

If you want Lumber, get it from me. 15 miles west and 3 1-2 miles north of Didsbury. J. W. Sutherland. Phone 170.

### For Sale

Set of single harness and new buggy shaft. Apply Pioneer office.

### For Sale

3 Gobblers, Mammoth Bronze. Mrs. David Hughes, phone 213.

### For Sale

Will sell or trade McLaughlin Six touring car in good shape. Several wire Brush Cutters. Will sell or trade for good horses, cows, or good farm implements. J. C. Stevens, Box 36, Didsbury. 3-16

### For Sale

Garnet wheat and Abundance oats. M. Shantz, phone 105—3-2

### For Sale

Four pure-bred Yorkshire boars at \$25 each, the foundation stock from the Lacombe Experimental Farm and of strong bacon type. W. H. Davies, phone 1705. 3-9

While driving a load of oats across the crossing, George McLean had the misfortune to be hit by a C.P.R. train, demolishing the wagon but leaving both driver and team unharmed.

The Federal government was selling Ford tractors at \$800 apiece, from a large war order on hand.

Mr. and Mrs. John K. Smith were visiting their daughter, Mrs. A. A. Perrin.

Edmonton.—Sale of the Lacombe and Northwestern Railway to the Canadian Pacific Railway is announced by the Provincial Premier. The C.P.R. agrees to indemnify the province against future liability on outstanding 5 per cent. bonds for \$278,700 and, in addition, pay \$1,500,000 in cash, at the same time undertaking to construct a 20-mile extension within the next three years.

Calgary.—The Province of Alberta exported goods to the value of \$9,120,305 to the United States during the year 1927, according to the annual report of S. C. Reat, United States Consul for Calgary district. The total exports show an increase of \$764,640 or 17 per cent. over 1926. Cattle and hogs held a conspicuous place in these exports, the former amounting to \$1,215,686 and the latter to \$982,045.

Sun Life Assurance Life Company of Canada  
Head Office: Montreal Assets over \$345,000,000

Our Financial Report will be published in the next issue

WATCH FOR IT

NICHOLAS LAMMLE  
ROSEBUD HOTEL

LOCAL AGENT  
Room 29 DIDSBURY

## Auction Sale.

Under instructions from the owner, Mr. R. E. Lantz, I will sell by Public Auction the following Horses, Cattle, Hogs, Machinery, Harness, Furniture and other goods on the farm of the owner, situated on the N.E. Quarter of Sec. 1, Tp. 21, Rge. 2, West of 5th, and 1½ miles south of Didsbury, on auto road, on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27

**HORSES**—9 Head—Bay team, Mare and Gelding, rising 10 yrs., 2600 lbs.; Brown Team, Mares, ages 8 and 10 yrs., 2600 lbs.; Grey Team, Mares, age 7 years, 2600 lbs.; Aged Mare, 1200 lbs.; 2 Yearling Colts.

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**HARNESS**—3 Sets of Heavy Breaching Harness (1 set brand new); 1 new Stock Saddle; 1 set of Single Buggy Harness.

**FURNITURE**—McClary Sask-Alta. Cook Stove; 2-burner Oil Stove, with Oven; Melotte Cream Separator; Bookcase with Writing Desk; 6-octave Piano Case; Dominion Organ and Stool; 1 Centre Table; Morris Chair; Fumed Oak Dining Room Suite; 2 Dressers; 1 Washstand; 3 Kitchen Chairs; 1 High Stool; Cellar Table and Cupboard; 1 complete Bed, Spring and Mattress; 2 Bedsteads and Springs; Carpet Sweeper; Lamps and Lanterns.

**TERMS**—Cash

**TIME**—Sale will start at 11 a.m. with lunch at noon.

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## Stomach Gas Drives Man From Bed

"I had gas so bad I had to get up nights on account of the pressure on my heart. I used Adlerika and have been entirely relieved."—R. F. Krueger.

Even the FIRST spoonful of Adlerika relieves gas and often removes astonishing amount of old waste matter from the system. Makes you enjoy your meals and sleep better. No matter what you have tried for your stomach and bowels, Adlerika will surprise you. H. W. Chambers.

Charging that her husband kept her from joining the church of her choice or any church, Mrs. Ella J. Lang has filed suit for a divorce from Rev. E. J. Lang, of Little Rock, Ark.

Japan's rapidly growing population is said to be making the food problem a serious one.



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## A Forward Step

The development and growth of Canada politically, economically, in commerce and finance, in production from its natural resources of the field, the forest, the mine, and the waters of the Dominion has, during the first sixty years of Confederation, been most gratifying. This is now fairly generally recognized. It is also the general belief that Canada is just entering upon a still greater era of expansion and development in many directions leading to a greater growth and larger prosperity.

The question, however, which, to an increasing extent, is calling for serious consideration is: What policies should be adopted and steps taken to insure that this future development shall proceed along lines that will result in building up a strong nation, and in such a way that maximum benefits from such development shall accrue to the whole people of the Dominion?

During the pioneer stage in any country's development it is inevitable that its people devote their energies largely to the production of primary articles, largely raw materials. But with increase in population, the provision of adequate means of transportation, and the accumulation of wealth, a country should move forward in the work of not only producing such raw materials in increasing quantities but in utilizing them in the manufacture of finished articles.

It is important that crude methods in production of raw materials be discarded for those best calculated to give larger quantities, better qualities, and at lower costs; that all possible waste be eliminated; that as many by-products as possible be reclaimed, and that use be made of low-grade and off-grade materials. It is perhaps of even greater importance to ascertain the nature of pests and other agencies which now operate to destroy our raw materials at their source, and to discover effective means for their eradication.

The discovery of all these things can best be brought about through the painstaking effort of the expert in scientific research. Such work may require years of study, investigation and experiment. In many, perhaps most, cases it will call for laboratory and other expensive equipment. In the past Canadians have not fully appreciated the importance of such work, and as a consequence have not been prepared to provide the necessary public funds to carry it on. As a people we have been so busy attending to our own particular problems, and demanding immediate solutions of them, that we have been impatient of ideas based on long and expensive scientific research. As a result, Canada today lags behind other nations in this respect, nations which have not nearly the wealth of natural resources calling for development which Canada possesses.

It is, therefore, highly gratifying to learn of the action of the House of Commons in unanimously adopting a resolution favoring the establishment of a National Research Institute by the Dominion Government, and of announcement by the Government of its intention to proceed with the erection of the first wing of a National Research Institute building on a ten acre plot at the central experimental farm at Ottawa.

Last year, it is stated Canada spent \$250,000 for research as compared with \$50,000,000 by the United States, and \$25,000,000 by Great Britain. This year the Government will, on the recommendation of the Research Council, increase the vote for research work to \$750,000, and the Minister estimated that three million dollars would be required during the next five or ten years to construct and develop laboratories.

In this way the splendid work initiated by many of our Canadian universities, assisted by private capital, will be supplemented, and the whole work of research in Canada co-ordinated and developed. When it is realized that Canada is estimated to be losing at least twenty million dollars a year through grain rust alone, the possibilities of gigantic gain through research work can be grasped. A few millions a year spent in research work may easily mean a gain of ten times as many millions through discoveries made.

### How She Saved

A poor blind woman in Ireland put ten shillings into a plate at a missionary meeting. "You cannot afford so much," said one. "Yes, I can," she answered. On being pressed to explain, she said, "I am blind, and I asked my neighbor how much money he spent for oil in his lamps in a year. He replied 'Ten Shillings.' So I found that I have saved so much because I am blind, and do not need a lamp and I give it to shed light to heathen lands."

### A Courteous Hint

Michael Arlen is the hero of the following story. Some time ago he was invited to spend four days at a beautiful old-world castle in the south of England. Mr. Arlen was so charmed with the place that he remained for a week. One morning the butler presented himself with "—s compliments, sir, and would you like a book?" The novelist promptly replied that he would. The book arrived with almost equal promptitude. It was a railway time table!



## Acid Stomach

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### Discuss Coal Subsidy

Subsidy To Railways For Transporting Alberta Coal Should Come From Dominion Government

Any subsidy to the railways for transporting Alberta coal to Ontario should come from the Dominion Government and not from Ontario, said Premier G. H. Ferguson in the Ontario legislature, in reply to a question of J. G. Lethbridge, Progressive leader.

Mr. Lethbridge asked what the attitude of the government was in view of recent suggestions made in the press. Mr. Ferguson pointed out that the railways wanted \$9 a ton whereas the actual cost as determined by the railway board was \$7. The real cost, he thought, was nearer \$6.75. There was a suggestion, said the premier, that if the Dominion Government would contribute a subsidy of \$1 a ton, the province of Ontario and Quebec should join in providing another dollar.

### HOW DELICATE GIRLS ARE MADE STRONG

Rich, Red Blood Needed To Keep Up Their Vitality

It should be borne in mind that pale, bloodless girls need plenty of nourishment, plenty of sleep and regular out-of-doors exercise. But a lack of appetite and tired, aching limbs tend to hinder progress. To save the weak, thin-blooded sufferer, she must have new, rich blood, and nothing meets a case of this kind so well as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills not only enrich and increase the blood supply, they help the appetite and aid digestion, relieve the weary back and limbs, thus bringing new health and strength and transforming anaemic girls and women into cheerful, happy people.

The value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in the case of anaemic girls is proved by the case of Miss Lucy Stoddart, Margareville, N.S., who says: "From the age of 12 to 15, I was in an anaemic condition. I was very thin and nervous, had no appetite and had no desire to take part in the doings of those of my age. My mother got tonic after tonic for me, but they did me very little good. Then Dr. Williams' Pink Pills were recommended and almost from the first they seemed to be just what was needed to restore my strength. After taking the pills for a time I felt an altogether different girl. I got up in the morning feeling bright and active, and ready for work or play. Since then I have always taken a couple of boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in the spring as a tonic and have thus kept in the best of condition."

Every weak girl should promptly follow the example of Miss Stoddart, feeling sure that the pills will renew her health. You can get the pills from any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

#### LAMB MENAGERE (Thrifty Housewife's Lamb Ramekins)

- 1/2 cup sweetened condensed milk.
- 2 cups cold lamb, minced.
- 1 teaspoon salt (scant).
- 1/2 teaspoon white pepper.
- 2 tablespoons chopped green peppers.
- 1 tablespoon chopped onions.
- 2 tablespoons hot water.
- 2 tablespoons bread crumbs.
- 1 tablespoon butter.

Mix sweetened condensed milk with water and stir into minced lamb. Add salt, pepper, chopped onion and green peppers. Put into buttered ramekins. Melt butter; mix with bread crumbs and sprinkle over meat. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees Fahrenheit) for about 20 minutes, or until well browned.

#### CUSTARD SOUFFLE

- 3 tablespoons butter.
  - 1/4 cup flour.
  - 1/4 cup sugar.
  - 1 cup scalded milk.
  - 4 eggs.
  - 1/2 teaspoon salt.
- Melt butter, add flour, and gradually hot milk. Bring to boiling point and pour on to yolks of eggs beaten until thick and lemon-colored, mixed with sugar and salt. Cool. Fold in whites of eggs beaten stiff. Turn into buttered dish, and bake from 30 to 35 minutes in slow oven. Take from oven and serve at once. Serve with hard sauce, whipped or plain cream.

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A SEARCH FOR AMERICA. F. P. Grove. \$3.00  
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## ALBERTA WILL REFUSE OFFER FOR RAILWAYS

Edmonton.—That the Province of Alberta should receive the replacement value of the Edmonton, Dunvegan and British Columbia and Central Canada Railways was the declaration made by Premier Brownlee during his speech which dealt with the railway offers received by the Alberta Government in the Legislature. The Government's reply to the joint offer of the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Railways would be: "We will not accept." The Government is prepared to await another joint offer from the railway companies or separate offers but in the meantime is prepared to go ahead and operate the lines, confident that the value of the Alberta railways can be demonstrated and satisfied that the replacement value eventually can be obtained.

"These Alberta railways are not on the auction block and in future we are not going to peddle them from place to place," said the Premier, "and the time is coming rapidly when our railways will be keenly desired by the great transcontinental lines."

The answer of the Government to the Canadian National's offer for the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway would be that this offer is not satisfactory.

Premier Brownlee sounded a rallying cry to the Boards of Trade, newspapers and all organizations in the province desirous of bringing about a successful solution of Alberta's railway problems to stand together and co-operate toward the desired end. He pointed to what Manitoba and Saskatchewan had done by united effort in achieving their goal in regard to the Hudson's Bay line, what British Columbia had done in regard to the P. and G.E. and what the Maritimes had been able to accomplish in Maritime rights, and asserted Alberta could bring about a satisfactory solution to the railway problem if all stood together.

## Co-Operation Urged In Weed Control

Federal and Provincial Departments Should Work Together On Government Lands

Ottawa, Ont.—During the discussion of a vote in the House of Commons of \$375,000 for seed, feed and fertilizer control, G. G. Coote, U.F.A., Macleod, informed the Minister of Agriculture that in Western Canada there was quite a problem resulting from the growth of weeds on Government lands. He suggested that the minister might spend a little of the money of the appropriation in eliminating these noxious weeds from government property. The farmers themselves could not go on the Dominion lands in order to do this work.

Hon. R. R. Bennett, Opposition leader, said that Mr. Coote had raised a very important point. He urged the Department of Agriculture to endeavor to co-operate with the Provinces in such matters. The minister said that the question of overlapping the administration of such departments with provincial affairs was being eliminated. The minister told of the efforts being made to combat the weed problem. The vote then carried.

### Heir To Asquith Title

London.—Earl of Oxford and Asquith's heir is 11-year-old Julian, Viscount Asquith, son of the former prime minister's eldest son, Raymond Asquith, who was killed in action while serving with the Grenadier Guards in the Great War.

### Inquires About Russian Break

Ottawa.—Copies of all correspondence and other documents pertaining to the break of relations between Canada and Soviet Russia are requested in a motion placed on the order paper of the House by A. A. Heaps, Labor, Winnipeg North.

For the purpose of developing foreign markets for Indian goods, the Indian government is sending a trade commissioner to many ports of the world.

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## Canadian Farmers In Edinburgh

Visitors From Canada Honored At A Dinner At Which Lord Elgin Was Present

Edinburgh.—Canadian farmers now touring Scotland were honored in a unique fashion at a dinner in Edinburgh at which Canadian National Railway officials were hosts, when a Scottish earl, grandson of a former Governor-General of Canada, sang a famous Scotch ditty to the immense delight of the Canadians. The earl was Lord Elgin, whose illustrious grandsire was stoned by the populace in an historic event in Montreal, and the present earl, recalling the incident, caused great amusement by declaring that among the prized mementos at Broomhall were two pieces of granite which had been thrown at the Governor-General.

At the conclusion of the earl's speech and song, the Canadians gave him three rousing cheers. The dinner was the occasion for gathering together some of the most brilliant or Scottish agriculturists. W. A. Wilson, agricultural representative for Canada in Britain, was chairman, and besides Lord Elgin there were present, Sir Robert Craig, president of the Scottish Board of Agriculture, and known as "the friend of Canada"; Dr. Crew, director of animal breeding, research department, Edinburgh University; Archibald Macneil, secretary of the Clydesdale Horse Society; John Stirling, secretary to the Highland Society; C. Weatherall, secretary Scottish Board of Agriculture; Professor Robert Wallace, Professor Ernest Shearer, head of the Faculty of Agriculture, Edinburgh University; Robert Park, owner of the famous Clyde horse, "Brunstone Agin"; John Geddie, Edinburgh historian; Dr. Savage, formerly of Winnipeg.

## Passing Of a Great Statesman

Great Britain Mourns the Death Of Earl Of Oxford

Sutton Courtenay, Eng.—While eminent men and the press of Great Britain praised the Earl of Oxford's life of service and mourned his death, the body of the aged statesman, who died at his home here, was carried to the parish church of Sutton Courtenay.

Praise of the Earl of Oxford and Asquith as a great parliamentarian, a forceful, gracious debater and an unselfish servant of the nation's welfare is contained in thousands of messages of condolence published and received by his widow. All recall his activities in the early days of the war, when as Prime Minister, he breathed the British spirit of confident courage.

Many proudly remember his declaration in the face of Germany's seemingly irresistible advance when he said:

"We shall never sheath the sword which we have not lightly drawn until Belgium recovers in full measure all, and more than all, she has sacrificed; until France is adequately secured against the menace of aggression; until the rights of the smaller nations of Europe are placed upon an unassailable foundation, and until the military domination of Prussia is wholly and finally destroyed."

## Range Horses Stolen

Believed That Gang Of Rustlers Have Been Operating In Alberta

Lethbridge, Alta.—Scores of range horses along the international border are missing and it is believed an organized gang of rustlers has rounded them up and made away with them.

Farmers anxious to get in their horses so they may be put on feed in preparation for spring work found the animals missing and the authorities investigating the losses are of the belief that the rustlers have driven the animals to the Blackfoot Indian Reserve, altered the brands and shipped the stock to Butte, Montana.

### Woman Pastors Favored

Ottawa.—Approval of the general principle governing the ordination of women into the ministry was given by the Ottawa Presbytery of the United Church of Canada in session here. The Presbytery, however, decided that at the present time it was not expedient to introduce the matter for adoption by the general council.

## Would Encourage Folk Songs



Miss Juliette Gaultier, descendant of a famous coureur du bois, says her Indian blood has made her sacrifice a successful career in grand opera for the mission of making Canada's native folk songs famous. She is a master of many Indian dialects and can sing in the Eskimo tongue.

## English Appointment For Woman Barrister

Saskatchewan Graduate Made President Of Leeds Outlook Club

Regina.—Miss E. Hall, woman barrister, who graduated from the University of Saskatchewan as a Bachelor of Laws and was admitted to the Canadian Bar, is now at Leeds, England, and has been appointed secretary of the Outlook Club there. Miss Hall, a native of London, England, came to Canada in 1914 and after teaching school in this province for some time, took up law. Until she recently left for Leeds she practised law for three years in California. A report of her appointment by the Outlook Club appeared in the Yorkshire Weekly Post, January 21.

## Seeking Altitude Record

British Plane Would Have To Ascend Eight Miles

London.—The Air Ministry soon will make an attempt to gain for Britain the air altitude record. A secret plane which was built for the attempt has been removed from Bristol, where the effort originally was to be made, to South Farnborough.

Air Service pilots will be at the controls. It is understood that an exceptionally small Bristol biplane will be used. To beat the present record it will be necessary for the plane to ascend about eight miles.



## Moose Plentiful in Ontario

It is not an easy thing to shoot a moose but there are plenty of them in the Big Pogamasi district of Ontario which can be reached comfortably over the lines of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Bob Becker, the sporting editor of the Chicago Tribune, visited this district during the present winter and he was successful in accounting for a magnificent specimen of a bull moose.

"How these big boys are traveling," said the guide to Bob Becker the morning after he had arrived in the district. "Papa moose and all the

## Suggests New Scheme To Secure Settlers

Sir Henry Thornton Advocates Higher Freight Rates To Obtain Funds

Toronto, Ont.—The raising of \$20,000,000 annually by increased freight rates on the part of both the Canadian National Railway and the Canadian Pacific Railway, to be administered solely in the prosecution of a vigorous immigration policy was a scheme which Sir Henry Thornton, chairman of the Canadian National Railways, outlined during a speech at a dinner of St. Andrew's Masonic Lodge here. Sir Henry stated that if freight rates were increased on an average of five per cent. it would yield to both the C.N.R. and the C.P.R. an additional \$20,000,000 each year. "If both railways joined hands in raising that fund for the encouragement of immigration," he declared, "we would make infinitely more progress in the future than in the past."

The speaker stated that there were 300,000 experienced farmers who would come to Canada, if they had partly prepared farms waiting them.

"We can bring those 300,000 experienced farmers here and other hundreds of thousands of boys and men from the motherland," he declared. "That represents the kind of thing on which we ought to spend our money."

## Brings Canada Big Revenue

Dominion Exporting Annually Rubber Products Valued At Thirty Millions

Montreal.—Today Canada had become the fourth rubber manufacturing country of the world and was now exporting rubber products to the value of \$30,000,000 annually, though the raw product came from countries to which the Dominion was exporting the manufactured commodity, declared Hon. James Macleod, minister of trade and commerce, in an address at the annual banquet of the Canadian Rubber Association here.

"The development of the rubber industry in Canada," the speaker continued, "is probably the best available illustration of the fact that where there is a need in a country for a commodity and therefore an extensive potential market, there the manufacture of that product will develop though it is necessary to transport the raw materials from the four corners of the globe."

### Massey-Harris Buys U.S. Plant

Racine, Wis.—The J. I. Case Plow Works, one of Racine's pioneer industries and which since its inception in 1876 has developed into a million-dollar concern, was sold to the Massey-Harris Company, Ltd., Toronto, it was announced at the Case Company offices. No announcement of the consideration was given.

## URGE PLAN TO CONVERT COAL INTO CRUDE OIL

Ottawa.—The House of Commons called upon the Government to consider the conversion of Canadian lignite and bituminous coal into crude oil. A motion of T. E. Kaiser (Conservative, Ontario), advocating steps with this in view was approved after brief debate.

Dr. Kaiser in presenting the motion urged the Government to have coal from Canada sent to Birmingham, England, and there tested as to its adaptability to the processes being used to convert coal into oil. He also wanted young Canadians to be sent abroad to study the latest developments in this work.

Speaking of scientific effort, Dr. Kaiser suggested that at the Gateway of the Prairies (Winnipeg), a monument should be erected to Dr. Saunders for his work in wheat to show the world that there were victories of peace greater than conquests of war.

He believed Canada was on the verge of a solution for the fuel problem by the conversion of lignite and bituminous coal.

A. W. Neill (Independent, Comox-Alberni), said many things could be done in chemistry but not always economically. He criticized the "mandatory character of the resolution," as it would involve the Government in very dangerous expenditures.

Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of the Interior, declared he had had the privilege of making an investigation and study of the whole subject matter of the resolution while in Europe last summer. On one plant alone over 1,200 chemists were busily engaged at the time of his visit. There were great possibilities in at least three or four experiments now under way in Europe. It was his desire, said Mr. Stewart, to learn what actually could be done in the way of experiments and what could be done in a commercial way.

He would be pleased to have an appropriation provided in the estimates which would be used for the purpose of sending students abroad to make a scientific study of the treatment of coal.

"I want to see every avenue of research explored," commented Mr. Stewart, "but believe we should exercise some care that we do not have any overlapping."

## Soldier Settlers' Lands

Re-Valuation Results In Many Reductions Being Granted

Ottawa.—Seven thousand eight hundred and eighty-six soldier settlers have applied for the re-valuation of their lands under the act passed at the last session of Parliament, it was shown in a return tabled in the House of Commons. Of these applications only 18 have been dealt with. These were in Saskatchewan and a reduction of twenty-two and a half per cent. was granted.

The annual report of the soldier land settlement board also tabled shows that since the inception of the scheme \$109,000,000 has been loaned to soldier settlers. The outstanding indebtedness of the settlers is \$78,000,000. The sum of \$18,000,000 has been repaid plus \$4,000,000 interest. One thousand and fifty soldier settlers have discharged their debts. Last year during the collection period ended June, 85.4 of the amount due was collected and the board reports that collections have shown a notable improvement.

## Will Represent Canada

Lieut.-Col. Vanier On Advisory Committee Of League

Geneva.—The League of Nations has been officially informed by the Ottawa Government that Lieut.-Col. G. P. Vanier will represent Canada on the permanent advisory committee of the League of Nations for military, naval, and air questions.

As a member of the council, Canada has the right to this representation of a committee which doubtless will play an important role in the forthcoming disarmament negotiations here.